



# **FEMA**

## **Daily Operations Briefing**

**Thursday, January 23, 2014**

**8:30 a.m. EST**

# Significant Activity: Jan 22–23, 2014



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## **Significant Events:**

- Mid-Atlantic Winter Storm - FINAL

## **Significant Weather:**

- Snow – Central & Southern Rockies to Southern Plains; Northern Plains to Great Lakes
- Rain and snow – Southern and Northern Plains
- Freezing rain – southern Texas
- Red Flag Warnings: AL, OR & CA
- Critical/Elevated Fire Weather Areas: CA & OR
- Space Weather: No space weather storms occurred/predicted next 24 hours

## **FEMA Readiness:**

- Region III RRCC at Level III

## **Declaration Activity:**

- Amendment No. 1 to 4160-DR-AR

# Mid-Atlantic Winter Storm (FINAL)



## **Hazards**

- Winter storm that impacted the Mid-Atlantic to New England has moved offshore
- Highest recorded accumulations were 18.3 inches in Norwell, MA, 15.8 inches in Manalapan, NJ and 14.8 inches in Brookhaven, PA

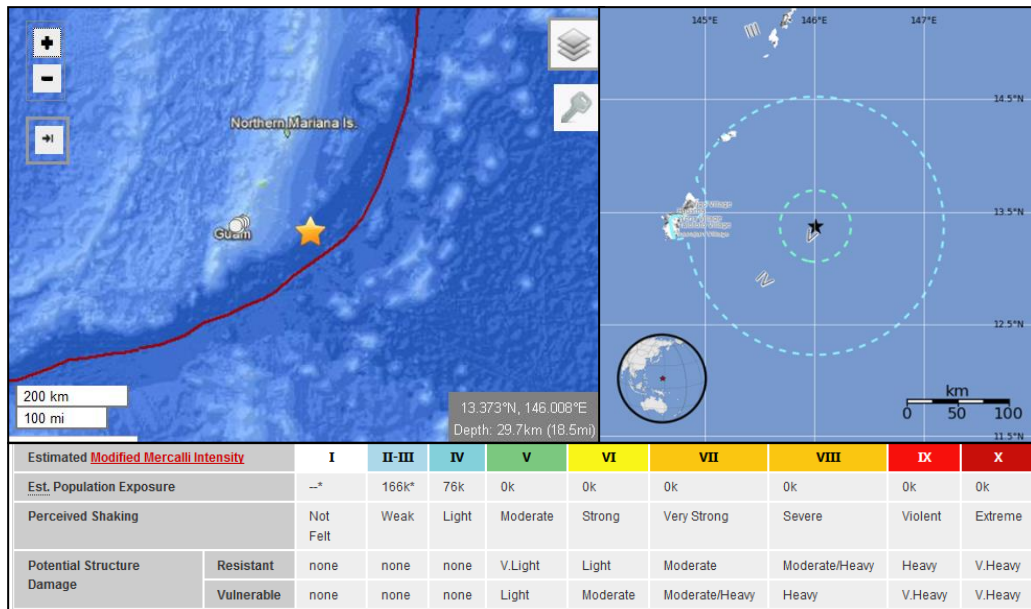
## **Impacts**

- No fatalities/injuries reported
- Power outages as of 5:00 a.m. EST, Jan 23 total 15,716 customers for all affected Regions
  - Region I: 103 / Region II: 1,345 / Region III: 11,382 / Region IV: 2,886 (*Department of Energy's EAGLE-I system. Note: Comprehensive National coverage of all electric service providers is not available.*)
- Transportation systems returning to normal

## **Response**

- State/Local
  - Only VA SEOC remains partially activated in response to the storm
  - NY & NJ Governors State of Emergency remain in effect
- FEMA/National Response
  - No Regions activated in response to this storm
  - No requests for FEMA assistance

# Earthquake – Mariana Islands Region



## Magnitude 5.9 – Mariana Islands Region

- Occurred 11:59 p.m. EST, January 22, 2014
  - Offshore 85 miles E of Hagatna, Guam
  - Depth of 18.5 miles
  - After shocks continue
- USGS issued a Green PAGER alert indicating low likelihood of shaking-related damage/casualties
- Modified Mercalli Intensity Scale Level IV; 76,000 exposed to light shaking
- No reports of injuries or damages
- No tsunami generated

# Disaster Requests & Declarations



Declaration Requests in Process		Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)
4	Date Requested	0	0
AK – DR Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, and Flooding	January 9, 2014		
VT – DR Severe Winter Storms and Ice Storm	January 17, 2014		
OK – DR Severe Winter Storm	January 17, 2014		
TX – DR Severe Winter Storm	January 17, 2014		

# Disaster Amendments



Amendment	Effective Date	Action
Amendment No. 1 FEMA-4160-DR-AR	January 22, 2014	Adds Fulton County for Public Assistance

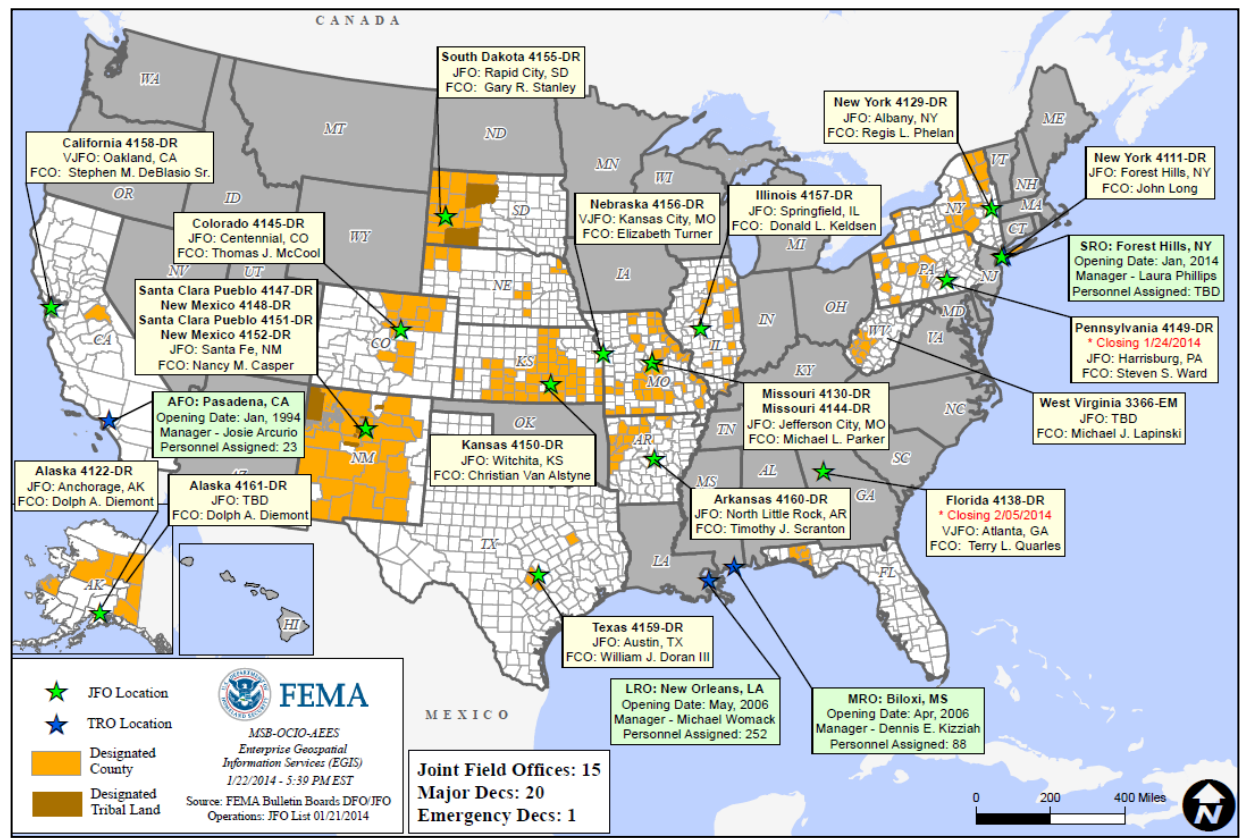
# Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments

Region	State / Location	Event	IA/PA	Number of Counties		Start – End
				Requested	Complete	
I	ME	Severe Winter Storm Dec 21 – Jan 1	IA	4	0	1/22 - 1/24
			PA	13	7	1/16 – 1/22



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# Open Field Offices as of January 23, 2014

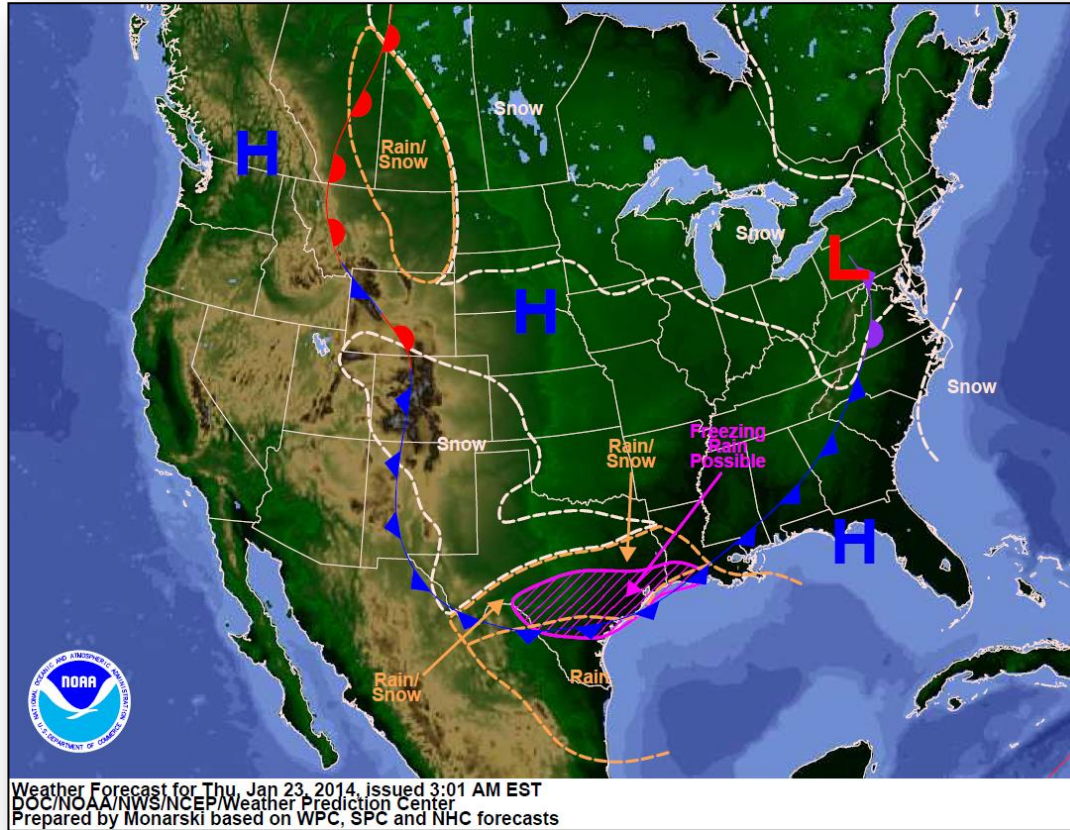




# National Weather Forecast



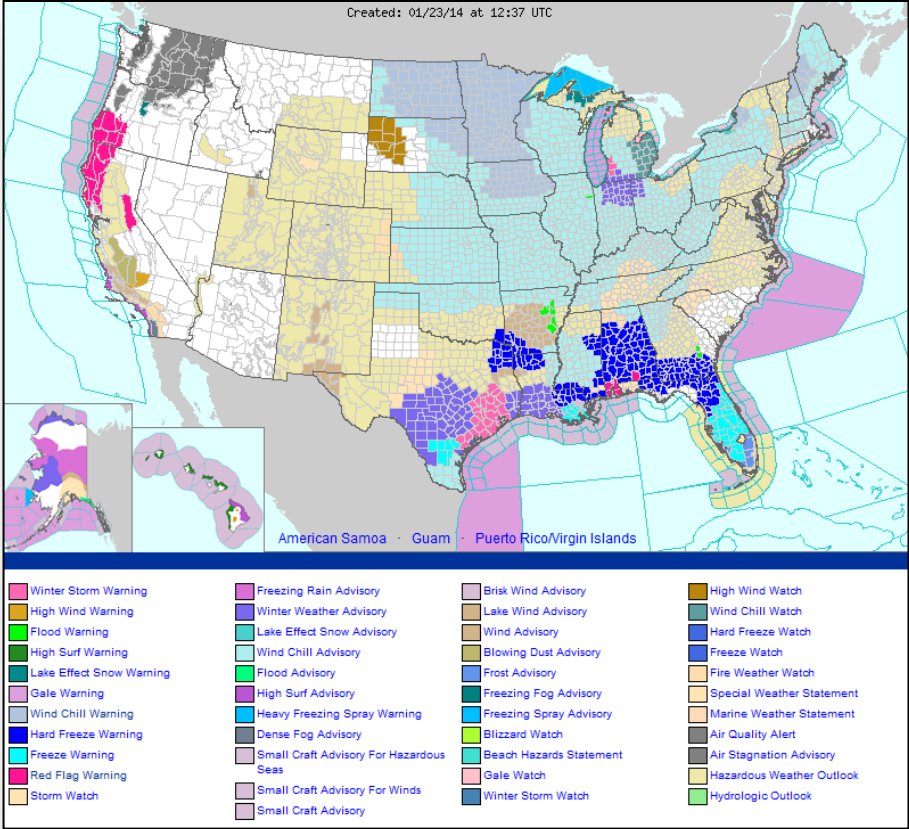
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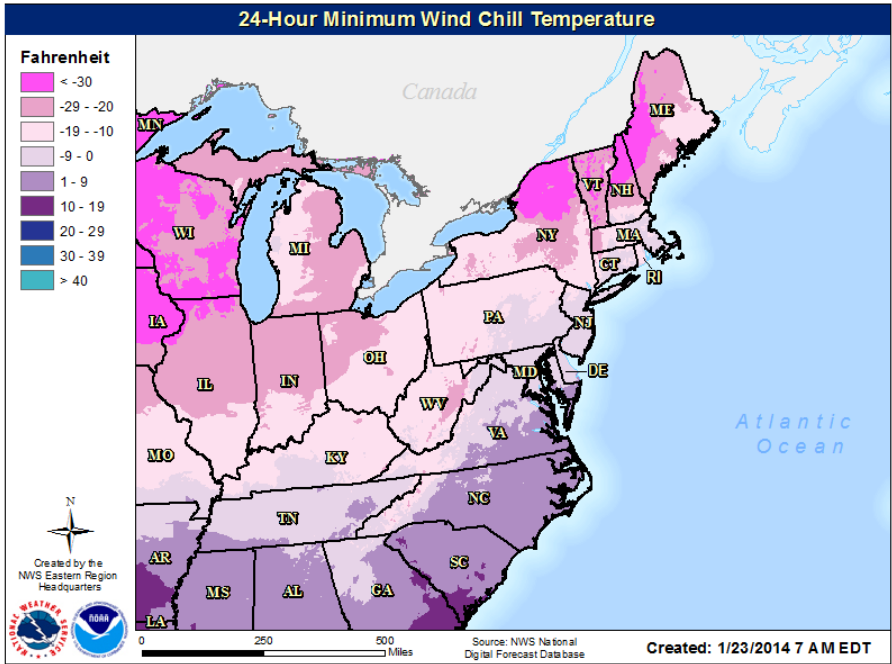
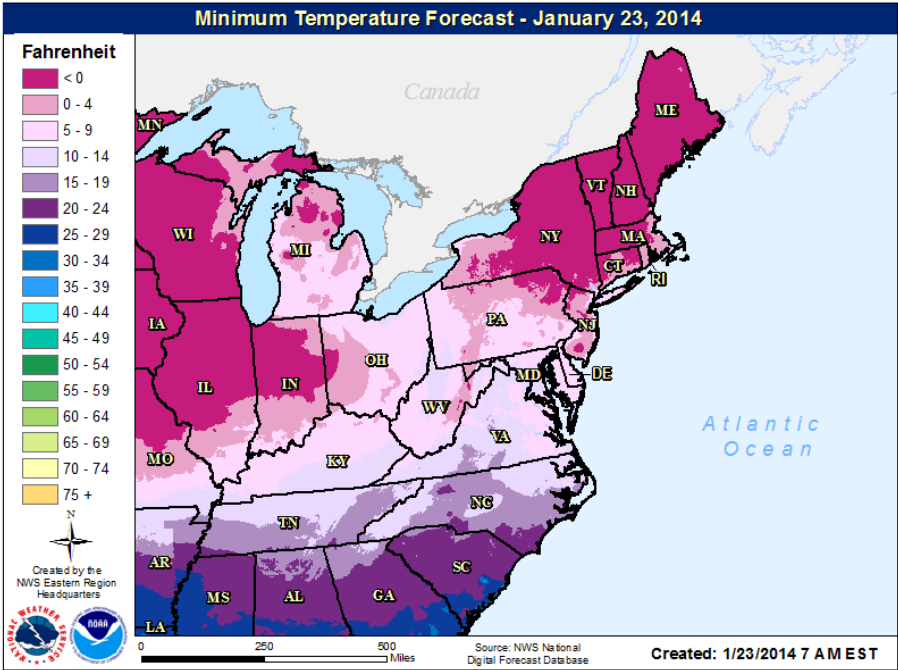
# Active Watches/Warnings



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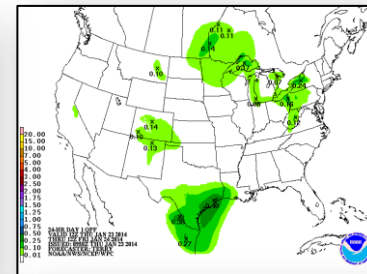
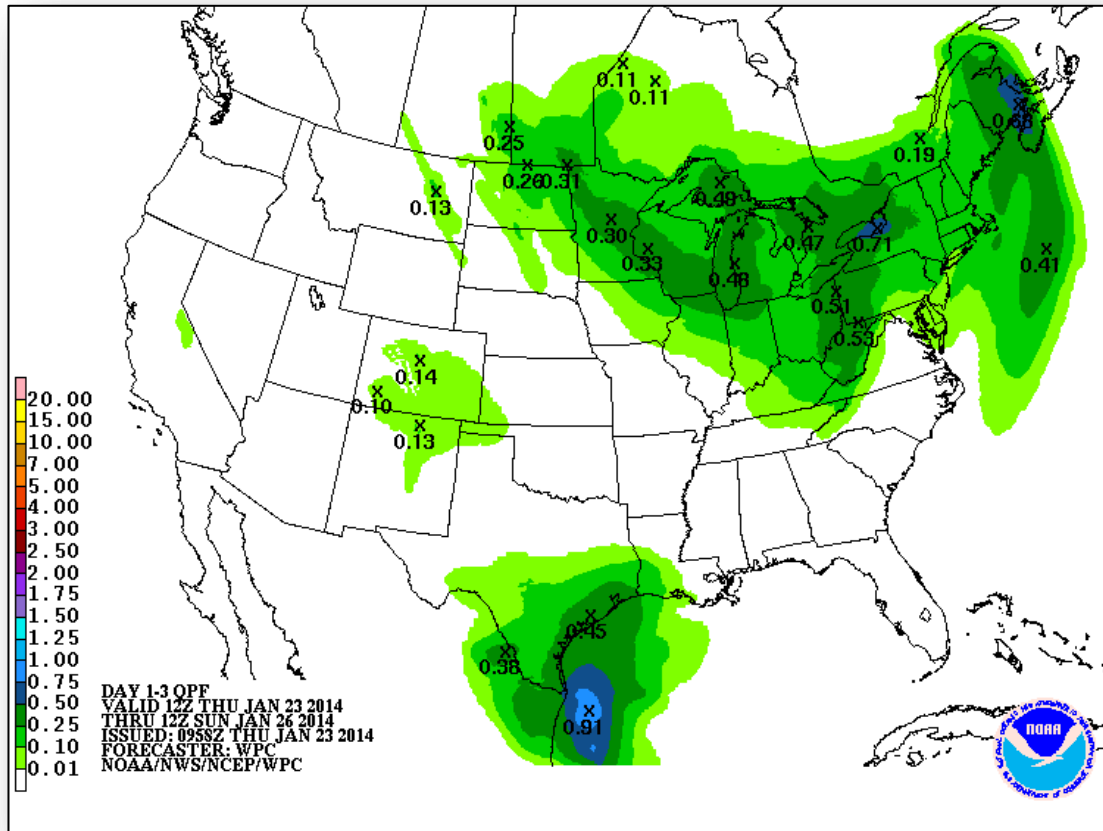
# Cold Temperatures/Wind Chills



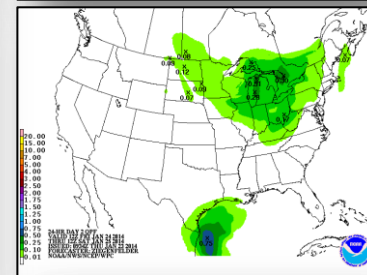
# Precipitation Forecast – 3 Day



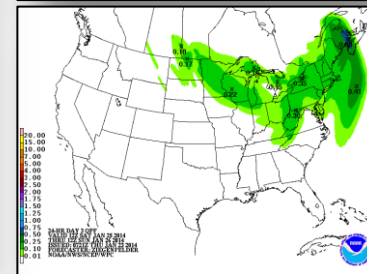
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Day 1



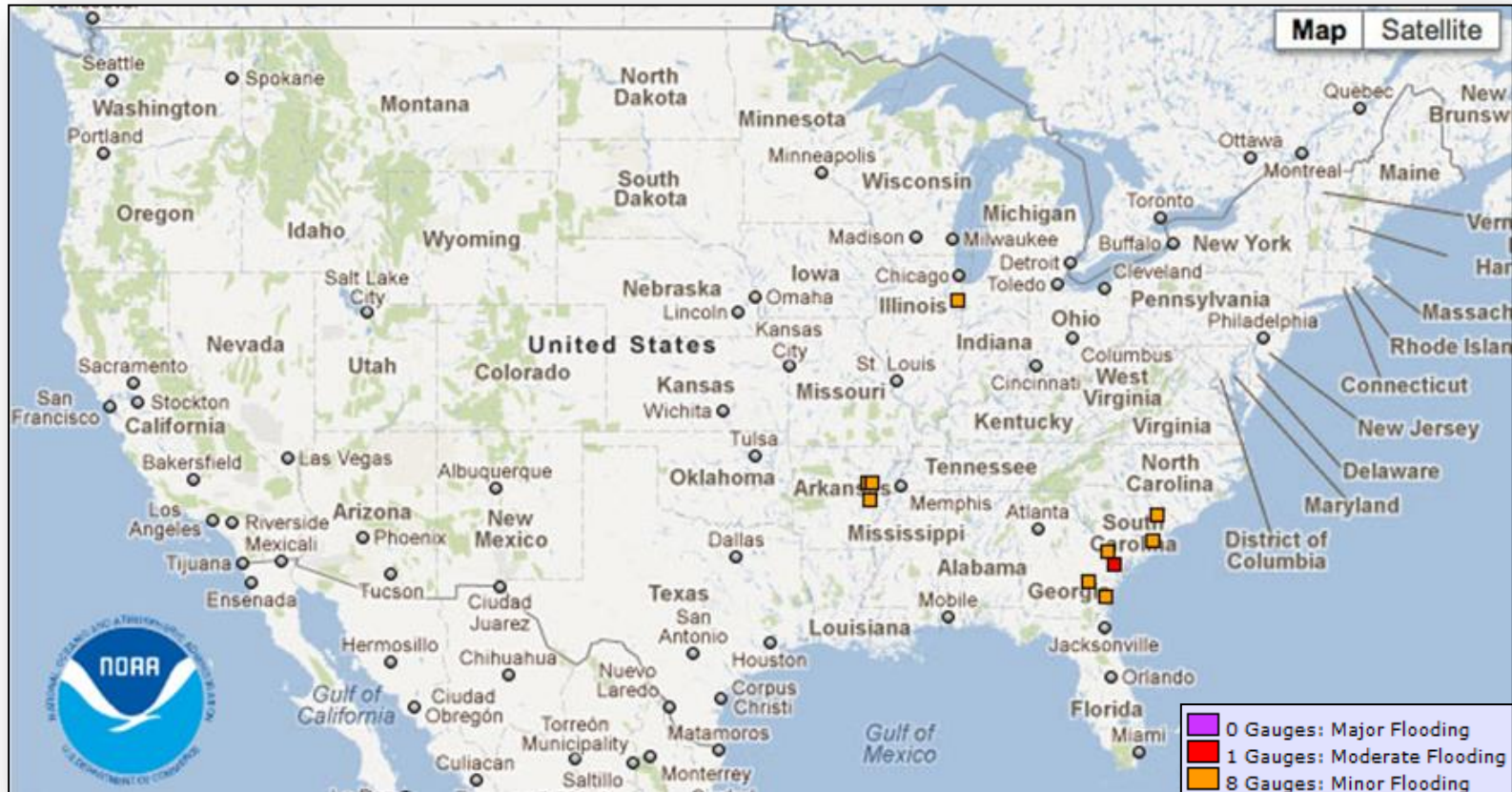
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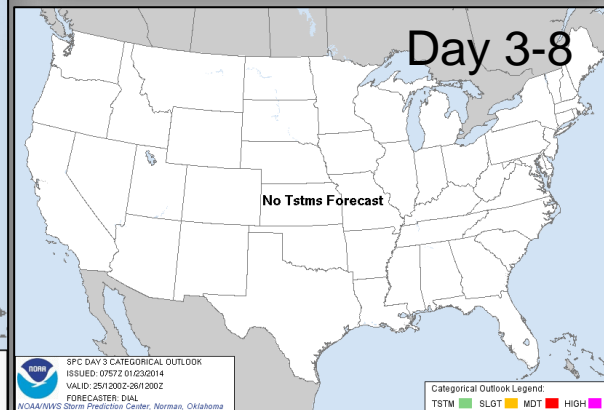
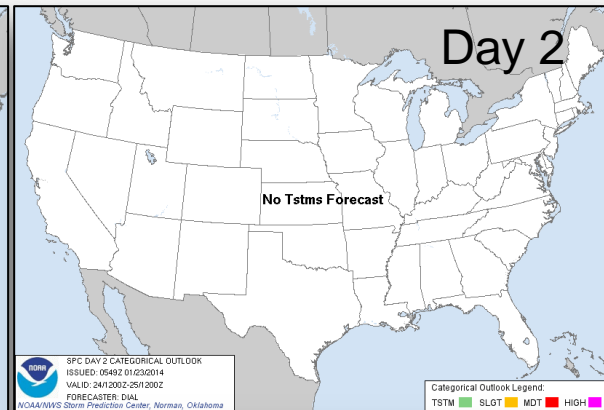
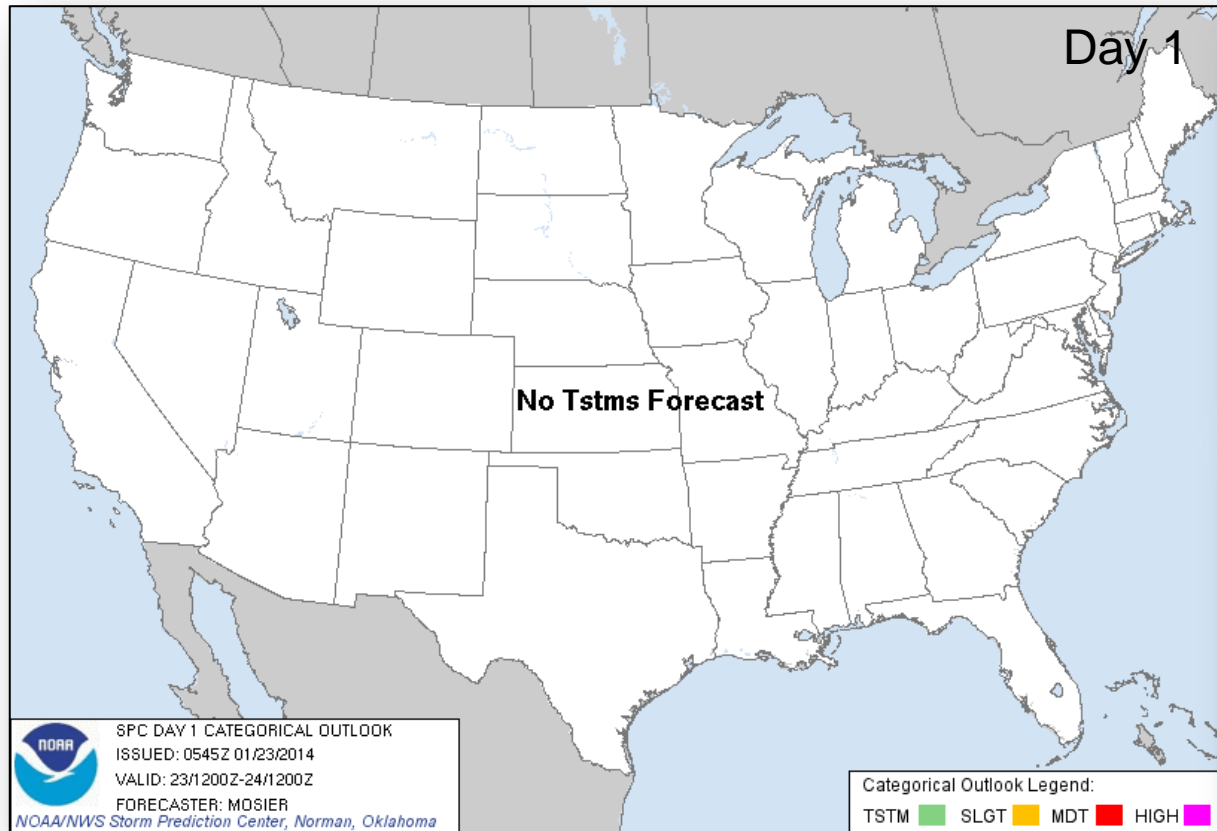
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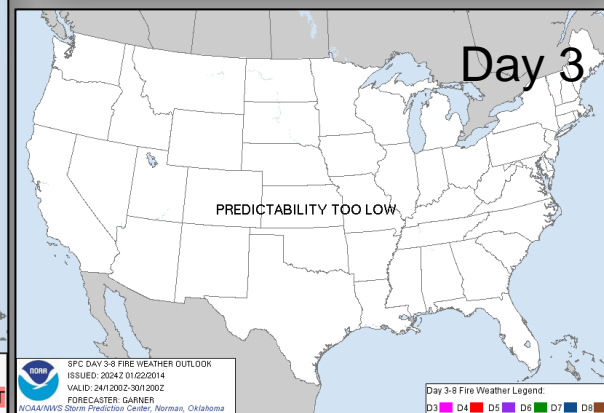
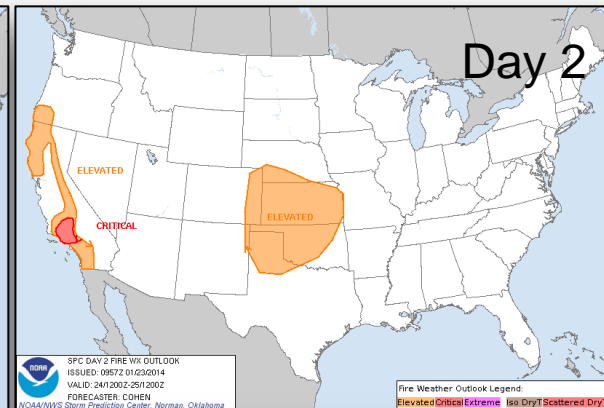
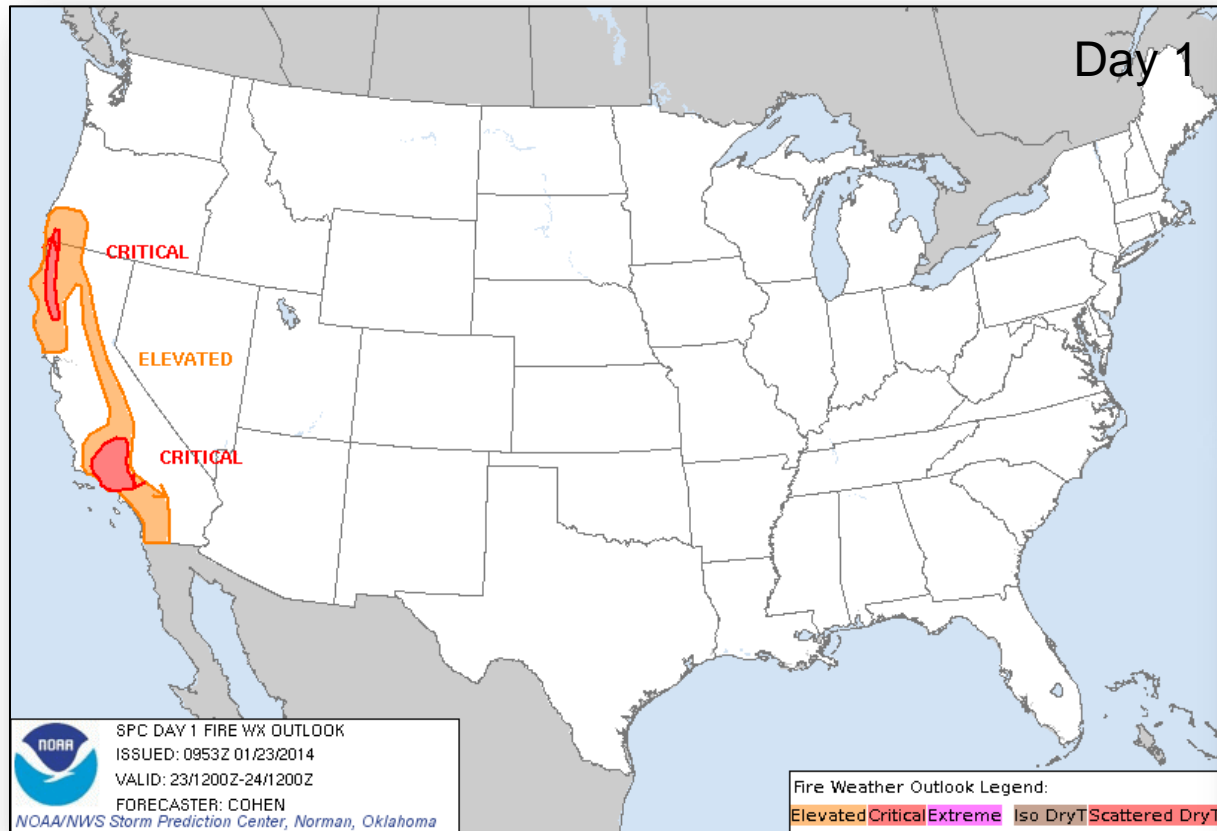
# River Forecast – 7 Day



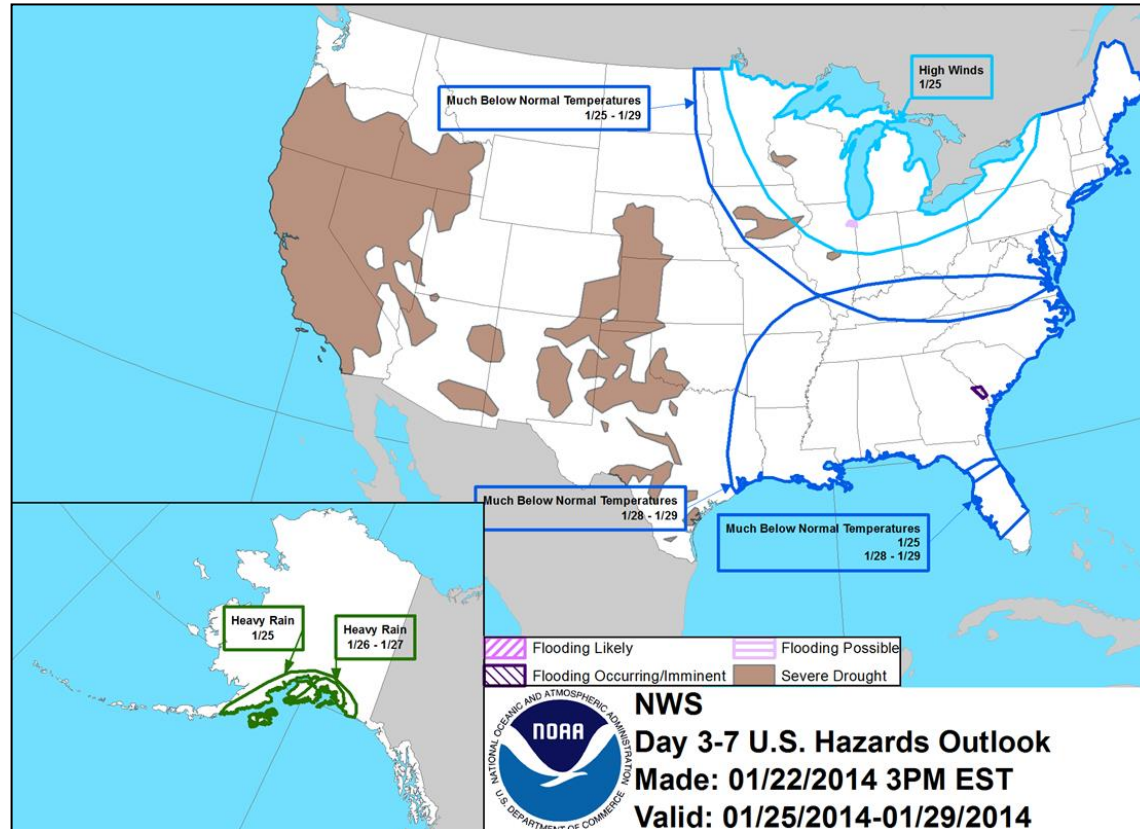
# Convective Outlooks Days 1 – 3



# Critical Fire Weather Areas Days 1 – 8



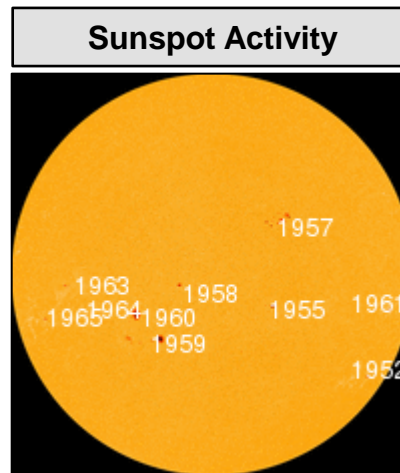
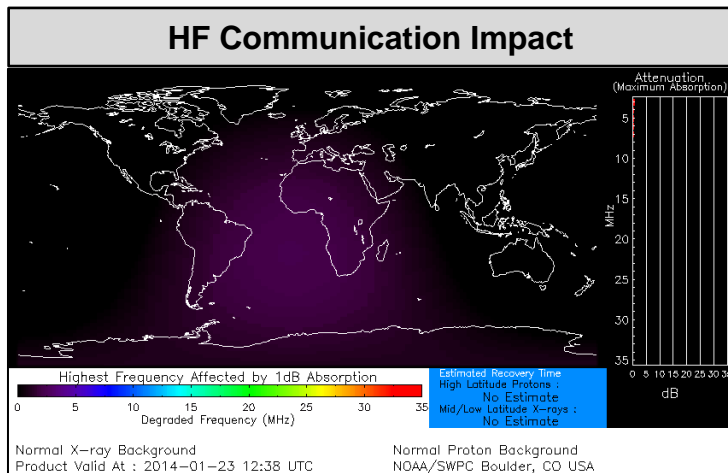
# Hazard Outlook: January 25 – 29





# Space Weather

NOAA Scales Activity (Range: 1/minor to 5/extreme)	Past 24 Hours	Current	Next 24 Hours
Space Weather Activity:	None	None	None
• Geomagnetic Storms	None	None	None
• Solar Radiation Storms	None	None	None
• Radio Blackouts	None	None	None



# FEMA Readiness – Deployable Teams/Assets



Deployable Teams/Assets									
Resource	Status	Total	Available		Partially Available	Not Available	Deployed/ Activated	Comments	Rating Criterion
FCO		40	11	27%	N/A	3	26	• FDRCs – Yellow due to number available	OFDC Readiness: FCO   Green   Yellow   Red Type 1   3+   2   1 Type 2   4+   3   2 Type 3   4   3   2 <u>FDRC</u> 3   2   1
FDRC		9	2	22%	0	0	7		
US&R		28	26	92%	2	0	0	• NV-TF1 (Yellow/Conditional) • NM-TF1 (Yellow/Conditional)	• Green = Available/FMC • Yellow = Available/PMC • Red = Out-of-Service • Blue = Assigned/Deployed
National IMAT		3	3	100%	0	0	0		• Green: 3 avail • Yellow: 1 avail • Red: 0 avail <i>Individual N-IMAT red if 50% of Section Chiefs and/or Team Leader is unavailable for deployment.</i>
Regional IMAT		13	7	54%	1	1	4	• Teams deployed to: TX, NM, CO & CA • Type III team deployed to WV • Region VIII IMAT returned from SD; partially available while reconstituting	• Green: > 6 avail • Yellow: 4 -6 teams available • Red: > 8 teams deployed/unavailable <i>R-IMAT also red if TL Ops/Log Chief is unavailable and has no qualified replacement.</i>
MCOV		55	53	96%	0	1	1	• 1 in CO	• Green = Available/FMC • Yellow = Available/PMC • Red = Out-of-Service • Blue = Assigned/Deployed

# FEMA Readiness – National/Regional Teams



## National/Regional Teams

Resource	Status	Total	Available		Partially Available	Not Available	Deployed/ Activated	Comments	Rating Criterion
NWC		5	5	100%	0	0	Steady State		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Green = FMC</li> <li>• Yellow = PMC</li> <li>• Red = NMC</li> </ul>
NRCC		6	369	94%	0	0	Not Activated		
HLT		1	1	100%	0	0	Not Activated		
DEST							Not Activated		
RRCCs		10	9	90%	0	0	R III Activated	• Region III RRCC at Level III	
RWCs/MOCs		10	10	100%	0	0	24/7		



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